

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively as follows):—

224 16/18 Letter from The Local Govt Board dated 15th November 1878 transmitting particulars of the Pump recommended by Mr. Barnes for attaching to the pipe at the pump House.

The Clerk was directed to write to Messrs. Barnes and ascertain cost thereof.

Letter from The Appointed Lecturer dated 14th November 1878 approving the reappointment of Mr. Henry H. Macgregor as Inspector under the Contagious Diseases Animals Act as agreed to at last meeting.

Letter

Letter from The Agent for The Insurance Co. dated 16th November 1878 stating that the Directors have no objection to the proposed erection of a wooden partition in the Hall Store. The tenders for such being accordingly opened that of Mr. John Sweeney the lowest was accepted at £6.10.0.

The Warrants for collection in Collector McDougall's District were laid before the Board and signed.

Upon the recommendation of Dr. Lapsack a pair of shoes was ordered for an inmate named Kate Davock.

The following Contracts were entered into for the year's supply from the 28th Feb to the 28th Feb.

Thomas Palmer Whole Flour at £13-10-0 & ton
Indian Meal 7.5.0

William Stratton Oatmeal 13-10-0

Mary Farry - Sweeping Brushes - 2-6 each

Margaret Scanlan - White Wash do 1.11
Bals do 1.8
Jail Officers 9 Days
James

10

James Bay	Quart	Plus	at	5-0	4 p den
	Quint	do		3-0	
	Quart	Platters		5-0	
	Part	do		3-0	

The cases of Provisional Relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was = 9

Ditto disallowed, " " " " " " =

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was =

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was = 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians = 1

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was =

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered =

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting, after the Annual Election in every year.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }
{No. 27.}

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows :

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied :

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount, £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187.

_____ District,	-	-	£
_____ District,	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms C 1 and C 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject).

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

23/5/78

Read Letter from the Local Govt Board dated 15th Nov 1878 stating that approving the payment of the sum of £2-10-0 each to Mr. Officer Lally, Laker and Gannon for their services in detecting defuncts in their respective Districts. The Board accordingly directed payment to these Officers.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 8 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:

14/2/78

Circular from the Local Govt Board dated 4th November 1878, transmitting for use of the Board and Sanitary Officers 25 Copies of the Public Health Act 78.

Letter from Mr. J. F. Kempter dated 11th November 1878 forwarding plan and specification of the proposed Sewage for Woodford Park. Ordered, transmit the Documents to the Local Government Board and await their observations thereon.

Letter from Mr. F. H. Kelly, Esq. dated 15th November 1878 giving instructions as to the manner in which the Lease of the Mill premises should be executed.

Agreeably

Agreeably thereto the Lease and Counterpoint were duly signed by the Chairman on behalf of the Board sealed with the official Seal of the Union and witnessed by the Clerk. The Board deemed it unnecessary in accordance with Mr. Barnard's views to publish the notice required by the 63rd Sec of The Public Health Act 78 as regards the Resession at Garmoy.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):

Reports of inspections for the last month were received from Suburban and Sub-offices Lally, Lala, Richmond and Glyan.

D. Barnard

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

23rd day of November 1878

(Signed) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1871—26402 Present Net Annual Value, £76206 '14' 6
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of November 1878.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in the building.	Total No. in each building on the date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	70	137												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,	88	5												
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	158	142												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	28	22	29	11	5	14	7	12	142		
Admitted during the Week,			3	2		4		1			1	11		
Total,			17	30	22	33	11	5	14	7	13	153		
Discharged during the Week,			4	1		2		1				8		
Died,					1	1					1	3		
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	1	1	3			1		1	11		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	29	21	30	11	5	14	7	12	142		
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.														
No. at corresponding period last year,														

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 16 day of November 1878, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	12	20					Bt. forw'd.						
No. II.	2	2					No. X.						
No. III.	2	7					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	2					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Cat. forw'd.	17	31					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 23 day of November 1878.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Dunsandle
 Other Guardians: Major Rogers, Messrs J. H. Blake, P. H. Dolphin, Dominick J. Burke, John Toole & Martin Farney

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

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NOTE—A total is to be inserted in *first column* of the *first* of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 24 s. 18 d. 11

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was = 27: 5: 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3: 5

Average Cost in Infirmary, " " " : 5: 0

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, Hall " " : 2: 7

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing Week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

774 lb White Bread	4 Day Porter
6 Butter	150 Eggs
120 Meat	6 Chickens
2 Corn Flour	1 Flask Brandy
2½ St. Patrician	4 lb Soft Candles
739 Quarts Sweet Milk	4 Honey
7 lb Tea	2 Blue
34 Sugar	
3 Ox Heads	
4 lb Pepper	
1 Quart Whiskey	

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:—

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Outdoor Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of March 1878, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -			
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - - - -	1	14	0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing Week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					By forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.			
J. Mooney	1	8	4
B. Callaghan	1	8	2
P. Thompson	1	1	
M. Hanahan	1	15	6

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

£ s. d.

Tobit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

Sh. 3. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Outdoor Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month)
—Number of successful cases,

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

That the Master still continues confined to his room and unable to resume his duties.

That a Sum of £10 paid by Thomas Partridge on ^{ac} of the Rent of the Mutchmore farm has been lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of the Union as also £15-0-0 a Year's Rent of the Lake Plot up to the 30th April last.

That thirteen Casuals were relieved since last meeting; seven of whom got Bells and were also employed breaking stones and pumping water.

Average degrees of heat for
 current week. Ridge 11 $\frac{5}{7}$ Finnegan 11 $\frac{5}{7}$
 Council 12

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (or Orders made for them respectively as follows):—

1854/78 Circular from The Local Govt. Board dated 20th November 1878, enclosing forms for furnishing particulars of Medical and Educational Expenditure and of the Salaries paid under the Public Health Act for the past half year

1864/78 Circular from Same dated 20th November 1878, requiring returns of the Expenditure under the Poor Laws, Mad Houses, and other Acts for the year ended 29th September last

Letter from Mess^{rs} Robt Murray & Co dated 20th November 1878, enclosing tracings of the Pump which would be suitable for attaching to the pipe at the new Hospital

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The Board selected that marked N^o 3 price £4.7.6, and directed the Clerk to enquire the cost of getting it up in accordance with Mr Bannys suggestions

Letter from Mr McNeill dated 20th November 1878 stating that he could not supply Eggs to the Workhouse at less than 1/5 y Score and requesting that his contract be fixed at that figure. The Board declined to do so, and directed that fresh tenders be invited for next meeting

Letter from Rev^d Officer Glynn dated 20th November 1878, requesting the Board would be pleased to again take into consideration his present salary, and increase same in accordance with the recommendation of the Albury Dispensary Committee

The Board referred this Office to their proceedings of the 12th ult^o, declining to comply therewith

The Warrants for Collection in Collectors Polans & Coopers's Districts were laid before the Board and signed

Upon the recommendation of Dr Lynch there was added for two minutes named Dean Monaghan and Mary Hayes

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The Clerk laid before the Board a Warrant received by him on the 21st Inst for the removal of a man named John Mannion his Wife and two Children from Prescott to this Union, and stated that these parties have not as yet been delivered at the Workhouse.

Upon the application of Mr. William Rows the Board ordered him Duplicate Receipts for the Rate of Oct-77

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The cases of Provisional Relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed, " " " " " "

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.

The following Contracts for Clothing and Fooding were entered into namely

Petrick Laughrell for 20 Rugs at 4.6 each
100 yds Shilling Linen . 1.2 yd yard
200 " Lindsey Worley . 1.3 1/2

Wm. Stratton 25 pairs Blankets at 10:11 y pair
150 yds Chambray . 8 y yard
600 " Grey Calico . 5 1/2
50 " Flannel . 4.3

A. M. Enloe 120 yds Sheetting Linen . 1.4 y yard
50 " Cambray . 1.1
200 " Flannel . 1.0
160 " Check . 7 1/2
150 " Bengal Stripe . 6 1/2
100 " Corduroy . 1.10 1/2

The consideration of the remaining Articles was postponed to next Meeting

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }
{No. 27.}

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows :

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied :

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given) :

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187.

_____ District, - - - £
 _____ District, - - - £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms C 1 and C 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject).

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

183. M/15 Read Letter from the Local Govt Board dated 16 March 1878 stating that requesting that they be furnished with the Return showing the result of the notices served upon the Defaulters under the Compulsory Act. The Clerk stated he had complied with the foregoing

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz. on the 30th June and 31st December.] Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 6 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:

Letter from the Local Board of Works dated 22 November 1878 stating that the Treasury having authorized the loan of £4200 for carrying out the Water Works for Loughrea (same to be repaid with interest in 50 years), their Solicitor will take the necessary steps to complete the transaction

Letter from D. Leonard dated 22 Nov-1878, drawing attention to the inconvenience and danger to public health caused by the Pump in Athlone being so often out of order, also that the surface water got into it, the flap not being properly secured, and that since Robt. Kennedy gave up the Contract all has been going wrong; observing that the Pump in Craykehill will be far as never be completed by the present contractor

ordered

Ordered, Inquire of the Local Gas Board, if the Contract entered into with Mr. Gough can be annulled in consequence of the unsatisfactory manner in which he is fulfilling same and that no Bond had been signed on his part.

(A letter was read from the Contractor stating that he had sent one of his men last evening to Athens to put the Pump in order and that he was then to proceed to the Workhouse here to repair the Pump but he has not arrived as yet.

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):

D. Cameron's Analysis of the Lablag Lane Water was laid before the Board with his report thereon. -

"This Water is not of good quality. It contains an excessive amount of organic matter as indicated by the high proportions of ammonia. Altho a hard water it is not a very bad one. It belongs to the 3rd class of Waters, the first being the best."

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

30th day of November 1878

(Signed),

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1871 *76402*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *23^d* day of *November* 187*8*.

Present Net Annual Value, £ *76206 14 0*

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated on the night of the week ending date.	Total No. in workhouse on the night of the week ending date.	Able-bodied.	Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Children under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	<i>760</i>	<i>133</i>								
Temporary Buildings.										
Additional Workhouse.										
Permanent Fever Hospital.										
Fever Sheds.										
Total.		<i>878</i>								
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			<i>13</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>7</i>
Admitted during the Week.			<i>11</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>					
TOTAL.			<i>24</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>7</i>
Discharged during the Week.			<i>12</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>					
Died.										
Total Discharged and Dead.			<i>12</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			<i>12</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>7</i>
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.										
No. Believed during Week.										
No. in Workhouse at date.										
No. at corresponding period last year.										

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the *23^d* day of *November* 187*8* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	<i>13</i>	<i>21</i>					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>3</i>	<i>8</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Chr. forwd.	<i>19</i>	<i>33</i>					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the *30th* day of *November* 187*8*.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Major Rogers*
Other Guardians, *Messrs. John Toole & Patrick Ryan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was ^{not} produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the Week, - - - £ 20 : - : -

Paid During the Week, - - - £ 7 : 12 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 626 : 9 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
S. Soland	Mcneil Kilgobbin Mayode Futthill Kilgobbin Pupar Lanthen Kilgobbin Kilgobbin Lanthen	19	16	10									
					19	16	10				9	15	7
S. Bogans	Lanthen Kilgobbin Lanthen Kilgobbin Lanthen Kilgobbin Lanthen Kilgobbin							58	15	2			
								61	3	10			
								31	12	7			
								93	19	7			
								63	16	8			
								74	11	8			
								28	15	2			
								11	3	0			
											9	29	17
M. McJannet	Kilgobbin Lanthen Kilgobbin Kilgobbin Kilgobbin							53	18	1			
								69	17	8			
								9	16	7			
								63	6	6			
								70	1	3			
											2	67	0
McKhan	Lanthen Kilgobbin Kilgobbin Kilgobbin Kilgobbin Kilgobbin							58	3	9			
								151	10	5			
								39	11	5			
								139	4	8			
								37	2	3			
								99	12	9			
								76	4	8			
											6	01	9
Total		19	16	10							27	13	14

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

\mathbb{Q} s d

[illegible]

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

100

Credit Treasurer and Debit Outdoor Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month)
—Number of successful cases,

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

That the Pump having got out of repair on the 19th Inst, he wrote twice to the Contractor to attend and put it in order; he neglected to do so, and Ross & Mearns were then applied to and they sent over one of their men on Tuesday evening last, next morning Gough, man arrived, and the two Pumps worked at the Pump and it is now all right.

it is now all right. "That a Sum of $3\frac{1}{2}$ has been lodged to the
A of the Union, for a charge included in the Bill paid last
week for 2 pair Chickens which were for the late Marquis's
use. "That V. H. and family arrived

That John Midden and family arrived here on Thursday evening, in charge of a Removing Officer from the Preset Union, they are at present in the House.

"That six fascals relieved since last meeting, got Bath, and were also employed pumping Water."

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively as follows):—

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Circular from The Local Govt Board dated 28th November 1878 with reference to the mode of deciding the Guardians' proceedings under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act

Circular from The Commissioners of Valuation dated 28th November 1878 acknowledging the receipt of the list of tenements in this Union requiring revision

The

The vacancy in the office of Master caused by the death on the 14th inst of Mr. John Higgins having been reported, the Board directed that the usual advertisement be inserted (in the General Advertiser, Galway) and the Loughrea Journal) for the appointment of his successor on the 14th December prox. Salary to same as last, and personal attendance of candidates necessary.

The Returns relating to the medical and educational Expenditure for the past half year were laid before the Board and Agreed

There being no tenders for the supply of Eggs, the Board agreed to allow Mr. D. McNeill at the rate demanded by him on the 16th inst. namely 1/5 2/4 per score

The ruling of the Rel.^y Officers Books and other matters were postponed to next meeting

The cases of Provisional Relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was =

Ditto disallowed, = = = = =

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was =

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was =

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians =

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was =

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered =

The Bonds, and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting, after the Annual Election in every year.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows :

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied :

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1863.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187.

_____ District, - - - £
_____ District, - - - £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject).

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz. on the 29th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 6 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:

12/11/78 Circular from The Local Govt Board dated 22nd November 1878, enclosing an order under Seal fixing the rate of remuneration to Medical Officers for attending prosecutions under The Public Health Act at £1:1:0 as the minimum and £2:2:0 as the maximum fee per day.

13/11/78 Letter from same dated 27th November 1878 inquiring whether the Subject of the Revog of the Wherry has been since taken into consideration by the Guardians.

(Order Postponed)

16/11/78 Letter from same dated 29th November 1878 admitting to the Contract for keeping the Wherry Pump in repair and stating that having regard to the unsatisfactory manner in which same is being fulfilled, it is competent for the Board to cancel

cancel the Agreement also recommending that the space around the Pump be properly flagged to prevent the surface water getting into the Well

The consideration of the foregoing was postponed to next meeting

Letter from Mr. O. Fyall Esq. dated 29th November 1878 stating that the Engineer has fixed the 1st August 1879 for completion of the Lochness Water Works and which date is to be the following Accounts of expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:

inserted in the Contract as Bond

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.
	The Board agreed thereto			

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):

Upon the application of the Solicitor to the Board of Works a cheque was drawn for £7,710 to cover the expenses of the deed of Mortgage in connection with the Water Works

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

22nd day of December 1878

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea

UNION.

Population in 1871— 26402

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76206.14.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of November 1878.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each house on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 16 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 16 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	10	139														
Total.	58	5														
Remainder on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	188	46	12	28	21	30	11	5	13	7	11	138	In Workhouse Hospital, 44	In separate Wards, 1		
Admitted during the Week,			7	2	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	17	In Fever Hospital, 5	In Wards with other inmates, 4		
TOTAL.			19	30	23	33	11	6	14	8	11	155	Total, 49	Total, 5		
Discharged during the Week,			6	2								9				
Died,					1	1						2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	2	1	1				1		11				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	28	22	32	11	6	14	7	11	144				
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.																
													No. Relieved during Week,			
													No. in Workhouse at date			
													M.	F.	Children under 16.	TOTAL.
													6	1		7
													1	1		2
No. at corresponding period last year,																

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 30th day of November 1878, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	12	20					BE forwd.						
No. II.	2	2					No. X.						
No. III.	3	8					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	2					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Care forwd. (Total)	18	32					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday the 7th day of December 1878.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Gansanale

Other Guardians

Majr Rogers, Capt Smyth
M^{rs} Thomas Glynn & Benjamin Taylor.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4628 to No. 4657 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the Week, — — — £ 39 : 3 : 7

Paid during the Week, — — — £ 10 : 7 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account to Cr of the Guardians was £ 655 : 6 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
S. Ireland	M. Henry	19	14	4									
	Kilgobbin		3	2									
	fuellhill		5	8									
	fuellhill	7	2	9									
	Kilgobbin	6	5	0									
	Kilgobbin		2	15	0								
	Kilgobbin		2	17	8								
	Kilgobbin												
					39	37					876	43	
Thompson	Loughrea							56	15	2			
	Kilgobbin							61	3	10			
	Kilgobbin							31	12	7			
	Kilgobbin							93	19	7			
	Kilgobbin							63	16	0			
	Kilgobbin							74	11	8			
	Kilgobbin							28	15	2			
	Kilgobbin							11	3	0			
											929	17	0
Kilgobbin	Kilgobbin							53	18	1			
	Kilgobbin							69	17	8			
	Kilgobbin							9	16	7			
	Kilgobbin							63	6	6			
	Kilgobbin							70	1	3			
											267	01	
S. Rockham	Kilgobbin							58	3	9			
	Kilgobbin							157	10	5			
	Kilgobbin							39	11	5			
	Kilgobbin							139	4	8			
	Kilgobbin							87	2	3			
	Kilgobbin							99	12	9			
								76	4	8			
											601	9	11
Total					39	37					2674	11	3

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Book Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 25: 17: 8

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3: 4

Average Cost in Infirmary, " " " : 4: 9½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, " " " : 2: 5½

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing Week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

814 lb White Bread	1 cut Soap
7 lb Butter	4 lb Starch
123½ lb Meat	2 lb Blue
734 Quart Sweet Milk	4 lb Mould Candles
9 lb Tea	
26 lb Sugar	
3 lb Or Headly	
6 Bottles Wine	
3 Doz Porter	
140 Eggs	
4 lb Dip Candles	

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:—

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Outdoor Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31 day of Nov 1878, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, " " " "			
In kind, " " " "			
Total, " " " "	1	15	0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing Week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value respectively:

Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.	£ s. d.
No. I.						dit. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forward.						Total,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
James Kelly	✓	5	15 0
Margaret Fallon	✓	28	14 2
Mary Duff	✓	57	4 1
Isabel Ridge	✓	18	10 4
B. Blackman	✓	3	15 1

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

	£	s.	d.
Bartholomew Hays	✓	16	11 3
John McKee	✓	3	4 1
J. O'Flaherty	✓	1	5 1
Mich. Shee	✓		12 6
Mary Conroy	✓		17 1
J. Costello	✓		8 6

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

28 d

Credit Treasurer and Debit Outdoor Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)
—Number of successful cases,

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Just the Pump got again out of order on the 3rd.
The Contractor sent a man on yesterday, and he repaired it.

That some articles of Men's and Boys' clothing
being much required 12 yards (induro) and 20 yds Lining
Latic, were got in from the Contractors for the purpose.
That five Casuals were relieved since last meeting;
four of whom got Beds and were also employed beating
shoes and pumping Water.

Ordered 1 Jon Brunswick Black, 3 Coal Shovels
It Pap for 2 Hours to Maria Kelly

That Thomas Gray be called on to come into the
Workhouse or take his Wife and Children out,
otherwise he will be summoned.

Cream for Current Week - Ridge 10 $\frac{1}{2}$, Finnefaw 10

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively as follows):—

24/98/78

Letter from The Local Govt Board dated 6th December 1878 transmitting a form of queries to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed N. House Master.

Letter from The S. P. Poor Law Union Inquary Commission dated 5th December 1878 requesting certain particulars relative to the parents - Mothers of illegitimate children. The Clerk stated he had furnished the foregoing.

The

The Board accepted the proposal of Robt Murray & Co. to supply with the Camps for the year 1878, a Store for fixing same with bolts and Oak Stone for the sum of (35/-) and that for Plumber's Work, the expense would be the many time and fare from Ballinacorney. The Guardians to get the Store fixed by a local mason.

D. Lynch reported

That 6 pairs large Boots and 8 pairs small size are required for the School children, as also a pair of Shoes for Path Mower and a pair of Boots for Bridget Macanion - that the Meat had to be returned twice for undue preponderance of fat and bone.

The Board directed that the Boots and Shoes be taken from those in store if found to fit.

Mr Henry Macgath was appointed Vet. Inspector for this Union for one month from the 12th inst. upon the terms previously agreed to.

The Warrants for Collection in Collectors Puckham's District having been laid before the Board, were signed and it was Ordered that the following days be fixed on for the Rate Collectors to attend the Clerk for the examination of their Accounts, namely.

Collecta Bayview	- On each alternate Tuesday
Apkham	" Wednesday
Roland	" Thursday
McDonagh	- The first Sunday in each month

namely

14 lbs Shreds . 2.1 1/2 lb
16 pieces Twp. . 3 1/2 2 1/2 lb

2	Long Mens Aprs	14. 6	Don
2	Boys do	9. 3	"
3	Paris Mens Socks	10. 6	"
9	Gross Buttons	10	sup
24	lb Wanted	1. 9 $\frac{1}{2}$	lb
4	Long Shimbles	5	Don

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was = 33

Pitto disallowed, 80. 100. 200. 300. 400. 500. 600. 700. 800. 900. 1000.

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows :

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied :

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount, £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1863.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187.

_____ District, - - - £
 _____ District, - - - £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject).

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

Dated

By the Pullaun Disp^y Minute Book it appeared the Committee had at their meeting of the 3rd inst. granted leave of absence to the Med^l Officer for the purpose of attending the Assizes at Carrickbeg, Shannon appointing S. P. Donoghue to attend to the duties until he returns

Grand approved the foregoing

The

(These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.)

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 6 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:

Letter from The Local Gov^t Board dated 4th December 1878 returning back the Plan and Specification of the proposed Sewage for Wexford and stating that if the Channels are to be the receptacle for the Waste Water & from the neighbouring Houses, they fear little improvement can be effected and that something more will soon be required

Ordered Transmit a Copy of the foregoing to Mr. Kempton, and request his observations thereon

The letters from The Local Government Board of the 27th & 29th Ult^o having been considered, the Clerk was directed to state in reply that no further steps have since been taken in the matter of the Sewerage; and that as regards the Pump it has been since repaired and is now in working order; also that the Board will provide a Stone Trough with plug for placing under the nozzle of the Pump to receive the Waste Water

Upon the recommendation of St Leonard
 who stated that small Pox has appeared convenient
 to the District, the Sanitary Sub-officers Lally and
 Glynn were directed to make a thorough inspection
 and enforce limewashing of the several Houses and
 Premises and report thereon. *Salvage of lime*
was ordered for gratuitous distribution in
Athens

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before
 the Board, viz:

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given
 thereon as follows):

Upon the Complaint of San. Sub-officer
 Moin - four parties in Longtree were ordered
 to be summoned before the Magistrates, for
 neglecting to comply with orders to abate
 nuisances

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the

14th day of *December* 1878

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
 Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

130

Population in 1871

2670

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76206.14.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of December 1878.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in the above building.	Total No. in workhouse on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	160	138														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,	58	5														
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,	218	143														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	28	22	32	11	6	14	7	11	144	In Workhouse Hospital, 42	Inseparable Wards, 5		
Admitted during the Week,			3	1	2	3			1			10		in Wards with other inmates, 4		
TOTAL,			16	29	24	35	11	6	15	7	11	154	Total, 47	Total, 4		
Discharged during the Week,			4	1	1	4						10				
Died,						1						1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	1	1	5						11				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	28	23	30	11	6	15	7	11	143	No. at corresponding period last year,			
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.																
													M.	F.	Children under 15.	Total.
No. Relieved during Week,													4	2	-	6
No. in Workhouse at date													2	-	-	2

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 7 day of December 1878, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	14	22										
No. II.	2	2										
No. III.	4	9										
No. IV.	1	2										
No. V.												
No. VI.												
No. VII.												
No. VIII.												
No. IX.												
Car. forw'd.	21	35										
TOTAL.												

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 14th day of December 1878.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lord Dunsandle*

Other Guardians: *Ed Daly, Major Rogers, Capt Smyth, Insp.*

B. A. P. Corps, M. Blake, J. Hardy, Chas. Doehlin, A. W. Blake

Wm. Bateman, B. Taylor, E. Carranagh, P. Hayes, J. Glynn, A. Doehlin,

L. M. Egan, P. Ryan, J. Doehly, J. Brown, M. Taylor, M. Ryan, J. Egan,

Thos. Conway, P. Lane, J. Dinmond, & J. Toole

A. Brooker, L. J. Dattford & the Meeting
The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 658 to No. 667 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the Week, — — — £ 133 : 1 : 10

Paid during the Week, — — — £ 133 : 1 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 522 : 4 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
P. Boland	Allen Russell												
	Killgobbin												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
	Killgobbin												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
A. Caspary	Loughrea							564	152				
	St. Hill							61	310				
	St. Hill							31	127				
	St. Hill							93	197				
	St. Hill							63	160				
	St. Hill							74	118				
	St. Hill							28	152				
	St. Hill							11	3				
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
H. M. Donagh	Ballingrath							53	181				
	St. Hill							69	178				
	St. Hill							9	167				
	St. Hill							63	66				
	St. Hill							70	13				
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
M. McKean	St. Hill							58	39				
	St. Hill							157	105				
	St. Hill							39	115				
	St. Hill							139	48				
	St. Hill							37	23				
	St. Hill							99	129				
	St. Hill							76	48				
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
	St. Hill												
Total											2674	113	

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in red ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was £ 20 7 3.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 25 - - 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was : 3 2 2

Average Cost in Infirmary, " " = : 4 8 2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, Hall " " = : 2 5

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing Week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

804 lb White Bread
6 Butter
120 1/2 Wheat
280 Potatoes
751 2/3 Sweet Milk
10 lb Tea
28 Sugar
3 On Sticks
1 lb Baked Soda
1 Quart Whiskey
4 Doz Pale

120 Eggs
8 lb Soft Soap
4 lb Milled do

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:—

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Outdoor Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Outdoor Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7 day of December 1878, whereby it appeared that in that Week the Total Expenditure in Outdoor Relief was

£ s. d.
In money, " " " " "
In kind, " " " " "
Total, " " " " " 2 - 2 - 6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing Week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.
Cashier Bank of Ireland Ensign of Mott, 2 10 -
John Demond Mas 2 , ,

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

L. 8. 7

Credit Treasurer and Debit Outdoor Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read--(this on the first meeting in every month)
—Number of successful cases,

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows :—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

That the Pump got out of order on the 12th Inst, and he wrote to the Contractor apprising him thereof, but as yet, he has not attended to repair it.

That at 2 P.M. on yesterday a Telegram was received from R. O. Gilman to send the Horse to Convey a small Cow patient to Hospital. As the Horse was not prepared to travel, he, the Clerk, wired back to the R.O. Office to afford such relief as was necessary until the Case came before the Board to day.

Before the Board to say that two Night Lodgers admitted provisionally on the 12th put on their clothes and had to get some old cast clothes instead; one of them is still in the House. A B. is in the house.

The Board devoted to take him before the Majistrates on Thursday next unless in the mean time he leaves the House

Ordered ^{The House} 1 Day Large Coffins

Average degrees of Cream for Current Week—
Ridge $11\frac{5}{7}$ Horgan $10\frac{6}{7}$ Council 12

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively as follows):—

1924/78

Circular from the Local Government Board dated 9th December 1878 requiring a certified return of the number of patients admitted to the Workhouse for the year ended 29th September last.

The Spt Under Secy.
Letter from Professor Ferguson dated 13th December 1878, approving the re-appointment of Veb. Surgeon Mr. Path as Inspector under the Contagious Diseases Act, for one month from the 12th Jan, upon the terms previously agreed to.

Letter

Letter from Messrs. Ross Murray & Co. dated 13th December 1878 stating that they will supply the Pump for the Poor Hospital and have it in perfect working order, but could not guarantee to keep it in repair for 12 months lest accidents might arise by children throwing stones and injuring the Pump.

Board agreed to the foregoing.

Letter from Dr. Leonard dated 13th December 1878, advising to the Out break of Small Pox at Easter, and regretting that the Van had not been sent in yesterday, and thus perhaps save the other members of the girl's family from this dread disease.

Dr. Prodie having stated the result of his interview with Dr. Leonard to day and his visit to the locality in which the case lies, a Telegram was forwarded to Dr. Leonard, and the reply being that the girl was fit for removal to Hospital, the Van was despatched for the patient.

At the suggestion of Dr. Lynch, two of the Sisters in Hospital were appointed to take charge of the poor Hospital each to be allowed 10^s 6d per week as wages and the usual Rations; their names to be taken off the Workhouse Books as inmates.

For

Oliver Dolphin proposed and Mr. Hays seconded.

appointment of Mr. James Glynn as Master. The

Amendment
moved by Mr. J. H. Blake seconded by Col. Daly &

the appointment of Master be postponed to
this day fortnight

The cases of Provisional Relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was = 8

Ditto disallowed.

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.

Upon a division of the Board - those
Voted for the Amendment - 15 - Against - 10
The Amendment having been accordingly declared. Carried
the Clerk was directed to advertise for the appoint-
ment of Master on the 28th inst. personal attendance
of candidates not to be deemed indispensable

Upon the application of the Medical
Officer, a Small Tea Pot was ordered for
Hospital use

Clothing Materials consisting of (Ordinary
Linen, Woolen and Rugs were approved of - Shirts
Linen and Flannel rejected not being according
to samples

Rev. James Farwell, Pres^t (Lucens) and Kelly
acted upon the Ground, and having represented the
distress at present existing amongst the laboring Classes
and poor Householders in Longhrea, a private Subscription
was set on foot amongst several of the Members present
and the proceeds handed over to those gentlemen.

A Memorial having been received from the Widow of the late Master representing that by his death she and her three children have been deprived of their only means of support, and praying the Guardians would in their public or private capacities afford them some pecuniary assistance. D R

and then some pecuniary assistance. The Board regretted, they could not comply with the foregoing

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }
(No. 27.)

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows :

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied :

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount, £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187.

_____ District,	-	-	£
_____ District,	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject).

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz. on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 6 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic. c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:

Letter from the Solicitor General of Works dated 12th December 1878 enclosing Draft Deed of Mortgage in connection with the Loughree Water Works, and stating that a party will attend on the 21st inst to witness its execution, also that a further sum of £2,100.0 is required to meet the expenses of the

The Board approved the terms of the Deed and ordered a cheque for the amt claimed, & also £200.0 to Mr Demonds for surveying and mapping the mill premises

Letter from W. J. Regan dated 14th December 1878, offering to supply a Stone Trough for placing under the Mining Pump at 1/4 of a gallon

The Clerk was directed to invite for further particulars and state the Board consider 1/2 of gal to be sufficient for the Trough

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts for directions were given thereon as follows:

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

_____ day of _____ 187

(Signed,) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

140

Population in 1871 *4600*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *76206* 14 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *14* day of *December* 187*8*.

Number of Lunatics for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in the building.	Total No. in each lunatic building on the date.	Able-bodied.						Boys and Girls above 9 and under 16 years of age.		Children above 2 years of age, and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.						Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	<i>260</i>	<i>139</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	<i>18</i>	<i>3</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
Total,	<i>278</i>	<i>142</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>12</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>143</i>		<i>143</i>	<i>4</i>	
Admitted during the Week,			<i>7</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>							<i>9</i>			
TOTAL,			<i>19</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>152</i>		<i>143</i>	<i>4</i>	
Discharged during the Week,			<i>6</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>							<i>9</i>			
Died,			<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>-</i>							<i>1</i>			
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>6</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>							<i>10</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>13</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>142</i>				

No. at corresponding period last year, _____

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the *24* day of *December* 187*8*, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	<i>14</i>	<i>22</i>					Bl. forw.						
No. II.	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>3</i>	<i>9</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forw.	<i>20</i>	<i>35</i>					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the *21* day of *December* 187*8*.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lord Dunsandle*

Other Guardians:—

Major Rogers, Messrs J. H. Blake, Oliver Dolphin, John Toole & John Dimond

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4668 to No. 4670 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the Week, - - - £ 24 : 12 : 2

Paid during the Week, - - - £ 9 : 10 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 537 : 6 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Ledgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
St Inland	Sherry							180	19	6			
	Cashmere							76	13	6			
	Kegellan							84	16	4			
	Stoyde							38	1	4			
	St. Hill							57	13	3			
	par. ally							29	-	-			
	Kilomine							68	-	-			
	Kelluela							53	15	10			
	Reford							56	9	4			
	Santhran	6	17	2				33	17	7			
St. Joseph	Johnston							17	14	10			
	Ad. H. H. H.							68	9	8			
	Chellura	12	15	2				33	18	2			
	Supra	4	19	10				32	2	5			
					24	12	2				851	12	1
St. Joseph	Loughrey							564	15	2			
	Kilomine							61	3	10			
	Santhran							31	12	7			
	Ad. H. H. H.							93	19	7			
	Chellura							63	16	0			
	Supra							74	11	8			
St. Joseph	Santhran							28	15	2			
	Supra							11	3	0			
											929	17	0
St. Joseph	Santhran							53	18	1			
	Supra							69	17	8			
	Ad. H. H. H.							9	16	7			
	Chellura							63	6	6			
St. Joseph	Supra							70	1	3			
											267	0	1
St. Joseph	Santhran							58	3	9			
	Supra							151	10	5			
	Ad. H. H. H.							39	11	5			
	Chellura							139	4	8			
	Supra							57	2	3			
	Ad. H. H. H.							99	12	9			
St. Joseph	Supra							76	4	8			
											601	9	11
Total					24	12	2				2649	17	1

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

2. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Outdoor Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Outdoor Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read - (this on the first meeting in every month) - Number of successful cases,

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

Report of the Clerk

"That the Van was sent on Saturday for the small Pox Patient to Laker but her parents would not allow her in; saying it was too late and to come on Monday. It was despatched on Monday. Doctor Seonard who was there before the Van considered the patient to be unfit for removal"

That the usual Meat Dinner and Tea Breakfast are requested for the Inmates on Christmas Day
Ordered In same proportions as last year

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

"That the Contractor attended on the 16 Inst. and took up the Works of the Pump. He has not as yet put them in working order"

"That four casuals relieved since last Meeting were employed carrying in water"
Ordered A Pair of Boots and Shawl for Mary Cormickan cost 10 shillings

A Union Brand Numbers from 0 to 9
1 Doz. Quarts and 1 Doz. Pint Platters
1 Curry Comb, 1 Bess Lock, 1 Sweeping brush
2 Fine buckets, 4 Washing Lubo
150 Nails, 1 Pad lock

Average degrees of Cream for current week

Ridge 12 Sinnegan 11 ³/₄ Connell 10 ⁴/₇

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (for Orders made on them respectively as follows):—

25/59/78

Letter from The Local Government Board dated 20 December 1878 adverting to the case of Small Pox as reported at last Meeting observing that it is to be regretted arrangements were not made by which the patient could be safely removed to Hospital when the Relieving Officers application was received and trusting that precautions will be taken to prevent a recurrence of the like in future.

The Board gave directions to be observed in all future removal of Small Pox cases to Hospital.

Letter from same dated 20 December 1878 enclosing a Draft for the sum of £ 172. 11. 3 being the Parliamentary Grant payable to this Union for Medical and Educational Expenses for the past half year. The Clerk was directed to have the foregoing lodged with the Treasurer to the credit of the Union.

Upon the application of the Medical Officer Shoes were ordered for two inmates named Catherine Inghen and Bridget Hardiman also a supply of Delph and other requisites for the Iron Hospital and shutters for the window of the Nurse's room.

The tender of Mr. Thomas Mulkerrian was accepted for the supply of 14 pairs childrens boots at six shillings per pair.

The Board agreed to contribute from the Rates the sum of £ 6 each to two inmates named Mary and Bridget Gynes to defray their Emigration expenses to Australia or New Zealand. The sanction of the Local Government Board to be requested thereon.

Clothing Materials consisting of Lining calico, Worsted and Men's socks were upon examination with samples approved of and the Matron authorized to take in such flannel as she may urgently require until next Meeting.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows :

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied :

The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1863.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 187.

_____ District, - - - £
 _____ District, - - - £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject).

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from

The L. G. Board 19 Dec. 1878

stating that

Requiring a Return of the Numbers Vaccinated in the Workhouse for the year ended 29 September last

Vaccination Report (Form H) received from Doctor Burke of 118 cases successful vaccination performed in the Bullaun Dispensary District having been submitted was ordered to be laid on the table for 28 days

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 6 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:

19 Dec 78

Circular from the Local Government Board dated 16 December 1878 with reference to the removal of Night Soil in large towns in England

Letter from Mr. J. J. Kempster dated 19 December 1878 stating in reply to the objections of The Local Government Board to his Plan of the Woodford Sewerage that owing to the steep declivity in the streets from the centre to each end he believes that the channels instead of being the receptacle will rapidly discharge all the waste water slops & and that to facilitate this he proposes to make the channels of Concrete instead of rough pavement.

The Clerk was directed request Mr. Kempster's Estimate of the proposed Sewer & and the further consideration thereof postponed to next Meeting

Letter from The Town Clerk Loughrea dated 21 December 1878 enclosing copy resolution of the Relief Committee and of the Commissioners urging the advisability of carrying out the Linewashing Sewerage in Barrack Street and thus by affording employment to the labouring classes effect those sanitary improvements

in

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount.		
		£	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts (or directions were given thereon as follows):

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the

28th day of *December* 187*8*

(Signed,)

Patrick O'Connell
Clerk of the Union.

In accordance with the request of The Loughrea Town Commissioners presented to the Board of Guardians this day relative to the construction of a sewer in Barrack Street

It was proposed by Mr. John Toole and seconded by Mr. John Diamond that The Town Commissioners be authorized to carry out said sewerage according to specification supplied by Mr. Keller. The cost of the Works to be repaid by the Guardians to The Town Commissioners when completed to the satisfaction of the Guardians or some competent person on their behalf

A Clerk from The Solicitors Office Board of Works having attended before the Board with the Deed of Mortgage in connection with the Loan for the Loughrea Water Works

It was moved by Mr. John Toole seconded by Major Rogers and resolved

That our Corporate Seal be affixed to the Deed of Mortgage of this date now read whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the repayment of the sum of Four Thousand Two Hundred Pounds proposed to be advanced by them to us
(And said Deed was accordingly executed)

Proposed by Major Rogers
Seconded by W. John Toole

Resolved

That the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland be requested to cause the sum of Four Thousand Two Hundred Pounds mentioned in the Deed of Mortgage to them this day executed by this Board to be lodged to ^{our} ~~an~~ Account as such Guardians in the Loughrea Branch of the National Bank

And in as much as said Mortgage provides for said advances by instalments it is also resolved that the requisitions for such advance shall be intimated to said Commissioners by the Chairman of this Board for the time being countersigned by the Clerk of the Union

W. Toole

Loughrea UNION.

150

Population in 1871 26402

Present Net Annual Value, £ 76206-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of December 1878.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building above the above.	Total No. in each building above the above.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Children under 2 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	760	140												
Temporary Buildings,	58	3												
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	878	143												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	13	28	22	29	11	6	15	7	11	142		In Workhouse Hospital, 45	In Wards with other inmates, 2	
Admitted during the Week,	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6		Total, 47	Total, 4	
Total,	18	28	23	29	11	6	15	7	11	148				
Discharged during the Week,	3	1	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	5		No. Relieved during Week, 8		
Died,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		No. in Workhouse at date, 5		
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	1	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	5				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	15	27	23	28	11	6	15	7	11	143				No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 21 day of December 1878, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	15	23					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	2	2					No. X.						
No. III.	4	10					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	2					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Bt. forwd.	22	37					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 28 day of December 1878.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Dunsandle

Other Guardians: Major Rogers, M^r H. Blake, Peter Blake, J^r Hardy, W^m Daly, B. P. Papp, A. M. Blake, J. B. Carroll, W. Bateman, J. Diamond, B. Taylor, Denis Dwyer, E. Mitchell, T. Mitchell, J. Toole, J. O'Brien, J. Ryan, Thos. Conway, Thos. Glynn, & A. Doolin

S. Brodie L. J. attended the Meeting

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

(L. 12. 11-3) That the Amount of The Payl Grant
to the A. of the Union

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.			Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
	2	3	4	2	3	4	2	3	4	2	3	4	2	3	4
McKhan Lecky	6	13	9							51	10	-			
Breakehill	-	-	-							151	10	5			
Kilbuck	9	-	-							39	11	5			
Kilbuck	2	7	4							136	17	4			
Ballauna	-	-	-							37	2	3			
Kilbuck	-	-	-							99	12	9			
parry	7	7	0				16	8	1	68	17	8	585	1	10
Solaro										180	19	6			
Mayo										96	13	6			
Mayo										84	16	4			
Mayo										38	1	4			
Mayo										57	13	3			
Mayo										29	-	-			
Mayo										68	0	4			
Mayo										53	15	10			
Mayo										56	9	4			
Mayo										33	17	7			
Mayo										17	14	10			
Mayo										68	9	8			
Mayo										33	18	2			
Mayo										32	2	5	857	12	1
Longue										564	15	2			
Longue										61	3	10			
Longue										31	12	7			
Longue										93	19	7			
Longue										63	16	0			
Longue										74	11	8			
Longue										28	15	2	929	17	0
Longue										11	3	-	585	1	10
Longue										53	18	1			
Longue										69	17	8			
Longue										9	16	7			
Longue										63	6	6			
Longue										70	1	7	267	0	1
Total							16	8	1				2633	11	0

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Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.